

PRESIDENT SEES NO FEDERAL PLAN FOR ALIEN LAWS

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In the measure without regard to its effect on the President's approval. All those who have discussed the matter with the President feel convinced he will adopt the same policy as that outlined by Mr. Taft and return the immigration bill with reasons for his disapproval.

The pressing of the immigration bill immediately after the convening of Congress came as a surprise. While everybody in the Senate was looking out of the window Mr. Smith of South Carolina called the measure up and had it made the unfinished business. Then the debate started right off like a house afire. Senators O'Gorman, Reed and others began a bitter fight against the literacy test. But the defection of a few Democrats was more than offset by the assistance of Lodge, and some other Republican senators who believe there should be some educational limitation on the admission of aliens.

The bill already has passed the House, receiving favorable action during the last session. A number of important amendments have been added by the Senate. This means that a long wrangle by a conference committee representing the two branches of Congress must follow before the measure goes to the President. All this must be accomplished by March 4, as Congress adjourns by limitation on that date and all pending legislation dies with the session.

ORIENTAL ARTS FOR XMAS

Among the attractive Christmas gifts offered to the Honolulu people this year are the exquisite Oriental novelties and art needle work gifts at the Art Needle Work Shop on Berea street, near Fort.

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The secret service announced the appearance of five and ten dollar counterfeit notes in several cities.

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CAPT. MAHAFFEY HAS RESIGNED FROM ARMY; SEVERAL LOCAL SHIFTS

War department orders received at army headquarters yesterday affect several officers of this department and indicate that several changes in personnel will be made here in the near future.

The resignation of Capt. Birca O. Mahaffey, ordnance department, is announced. Capt. Mahaffey, who held the line rank of first lieutenant of coast artillery, has been ordnance officer of the Hawaiian department. It is understood that he resigns to go into business with his father in Philadelphia.

Maj. Wm. Newman, attached to the 1st Infantry, is assigned to the 13th Infantry, to take effect March 1, 1915. Maj. Newman will take the March transport for the Philippines, where his new regiment is stationed.

Maj. Edward B. Winans, attached to the 4th Cavalry, is attached to the 7th Cavalry. The detail of Maj. Thayer, 7th Cavalry, in the quarter-master corps, announced in subsequent orders, creates a vacancy in the grade of major, and Maj. Winans' attachment will be changed to assignment to that regiment. Maj. Winans will leave for the Philippines on the next transport.

First Lieut. Clyde R. Abraham is transferred from the 27th to the 2nd Infantry, to take effect March 1.

The retirement of Regimental Sgt.-maj. Anthony Osborne, 25th Infantry, is announced.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE PLANS BIG CAMPAIGN FOR THE COMING YEAR

Through the medium of a wide-spread educational campaign, the Anti-Saloon league is planning to start the work of the new year immediately upon the opening of the public schools following the close of the holidays. Superintendent John W. Wadman said this morning that the year just closing has been a successful one for the league, and that during the coming 12 months the efforts of last year are to be doubled particularly in the matter of bringing temperance to the attention of the public school children of Hawaii.

With the exception of one or two all the public schools in Honolulu have been covered by the league, says Doctor Wadman, and, beginning shortly after the first of the year, he will take up an educational campaign in those schools in the outlying districts on Oahu. On January 25, Doctor Wadman, in company with Dr. H. P. Judd, Sunday school superintendent of the Hawaiian board, will leave for Kauai in the interest of the league's educational work.

The advisory committee of the Anti-Saloon League will meet next Wednesday afternoon to discuss the election of delegates by the various churches of the territory to the annual convention of the league which will be held in Honolulu February 24. Dr. P. A. Baker, national superintendent of the league, will arrive in Honolulu in February and will remain in the islands three weeks, attending the convention and visiting the other islands in the interest of temperance.

Captain of Detectives Arthur McDuffie is in receipt of a cablegram to be delivered to George Birney Jennison of Philadelphia, who is believed to be in Honolulu at the present time. Captain McDuffie has made every effort to locate Mr. Jennison, but without success, and wishes to request that Mr. Jennison, or anyone to whom he is known or who may have information as to his whereabouts, communicate with the detective department as soon as possible.

STAINBACK NOT IN ACCORD WITH BOND ATTORNEYS

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fully legal by the enabling act of the legislature.

Accordingly the plans for the new Waimea wharf will be hurried to completion and bids for the contract to build it will be called as soon as possible. The work will get under way as rapidly as Chairman Forbes can push it. He probably will go to Kure next week, immediately after his return from Hilo, and take soundings preparatory to making the wharf plans.

Another project which it was feared would be held up indefinitely by the New York firm's adverse ruling is the paying of Kihio bay wharf at Hilo. After hearing the commission's discussion this morning Ed Lord, of the Lord-Young Engineering Company, said he would endeavor at once to find a firm which will take a portion of the bond issue on similar terms to those between the territory and the Kaula people. The Lord-Young Engineering Company is the lowest bidder for this job, and as soon as Lord can arrange for the purchase of the requisite amount of bonds the contract will be awarded his firm. Actual work on the wharf paving can hardly begin before the legislature has had time to pass the desired law, as the wood blocks to be used must be ordered and shipped from the Pacific northwest coast to Hilo.

REPORTED PROTEST OF ALLIES AGAINST THE GEIER MEN IS MYTH

No protest has been made against the alleged frequent shore visits of the sailors manning the German gunboat Geier, interned in this port, according to the British and German consuls and Collector of Customs Franklin.

A report to the effect that a local consul for one of the allied nations had protested against the German sailors' alleged frequent visits about Honolulu was declared unfounded by Mr. Franklin this morning. "I never heard of any such protest," he stated to the Star-Bulletin, "and I was not aware that the sailors from the Geier were visiting the city frequently."

E. L. S. Gordon, the local British consul, also denied the report, speaking for himself.

"So far as the alleged frequent shore visits of the Geier sailors are concerned, the report is unfounded," declared Georg Rodiek, German consul. "It is true that some of the men from the Geier have been coming ashore occasionally, but these were only the officers. The sailors have not been ashore."

Personal Mentions

MR. and MRS. T. G. BALLENTYN are included in the list of passengers booked for the islands in the Matson steamer Manoa.

H. H. TOMPKINS is numbered with the passengers due to arrive from the mainland in the Matson steamer Manoa on next Tuesday morning.

MISS GOLDIE GURNEY, who has spent some months on the Pacific coast, is a returning passenger in the Matson liner Manoa due to arrive at the port on next Tuesday.

REV. S. J. COREY, a former pastor of the local Christian church, is a passenger in the Pacific Mail liner Mongolia to the mainland. He has spent the past 10 years in missionary work throughout Japan and Korea.

MISS IRENE DYCHES, stenographer and secretary to Federal Judge Sanford B. Dole and Charles F. Clemens, will leave for the mainland in the next Ventura for a two months' vacation. Miss Dyches will visit her former home in Seattle.

KEE OWYANG, now identified with the Chinese government in the capacity of a commissioner to the Panama-Pacific exposition, a passenger in the Pacific Mail liner Mongolia to the mainland, received his education at Punahou college. During his stay in this city he was given an opportunity of meeting a number of classmates.

A. M. BRACE, a newspaperman affiliated with the China Press, was a through passenger on the Pacific Mail liner Mongolia which arrived in Honolulu from the Orient late yesterday afternoon. Mr. Brace relates some interesting experiences which befell him during the bombardment and final capture of Tsingtau by the Japanese, he having been present in the city as a representative of the Associated Press.

REV. J. BEECH, for years prominently identified with the Union College at Chengtu, north China, in the capacity of president and founder, is returning to the mainland, a passenger in the Pacific Mail line Mongolia, after an absence of 15 years. He is accompanied by Mrs. Beech, Miss Beech and four children. Rev. Mr. Beech and family were the guests of Mr. Frank C. Atherton, a classmate, during the brief stay in the city. The college which Rev. Mr. Beech is connected with recently received a substantial endowment from President Yuen Shih-Kai of the republic of China.



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